

House Resolution No. 3972

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during his sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Marvin Hill of Marble Hill, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of his Ninetieth Birthday with a special celebration on August 30, 2008, at VFW Post 5900, of which he is a founding member, past commander and ardent supporter; and

Whereas, on September 2, 1918, in Grassy, God brought a special gift to Jim and Rosie (Moore) Hill with the birth of a son by the name of Marvin, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating his birthday with family and friends, Marvin Hill will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in his life such as working with his father on the family farm; and

Whereas, Marvin Hill endeavored more than fifty years as carpenter and cabinetmaker whose workmanship can be found in numerous homes in Bollinger County and beyond; and

Whereas, Marvin Hill has also distinguished himself as a World War II veteran of the United States Army who was wounded by mortar while serving near New Guinea and was awarded the Purple Heart in a ceremony at Bollinger County Memorial Park after a fifty-year delay; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 90, Marvin Hill is extremely grateful for the countless blessings he has received throughout the course of his long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Marvin Hill at this significant milestone and in wishing him peace and contentment as he continues to enjoy his golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri nonagenarian Marvin Hill, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by Speaker Rod Jetton
District No. 156

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3972, adopted August 26, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker